

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**BILLING FOR USE OF A TELEPHONY DEVICE**

5 A method, system, and program for billing a caller for use
of an origin device are provided. Usage, of at least one
measurable element of a telephony device by an identified
individual, is tracked, where the identified individual is
distinct from an owner of the origin telephony device. A tariff
for the tracked usage is transferred to an intermediary device.
10 The intermediary device charges the tariff according to a billing
plan for the identified individual, such that the owner is
compensated for use of at least one measurable element of the
owner's telephony device. Measurable elements may include the
time the telephony device is in the identified individual's
possession, the battery usage, and usage of the address book.